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Dear Sir:

Petitioner, The Board of Trustees of the Leland Stanford Junior University (Stanford University), an entity organized and existing under the laws of the State of California and having its primary place of business in Palo Alto, California, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/042,426, filed on January 7, 2002, and entitled CARBON NANOTUBE STRUCTURE HAVING A CATALYST ISLAND, by virtue of the assignment recorded at reel/frame 9576/0596

Petitioner, Stanford University, is also the owner of the entire right, title and interest in U.S. Patent No. 6,346,189, issued on February 12, 2002, as evidenced by the cover page of the patent and the Recordation of Assignment on November 3, 1998 at Reel 9576, Frame 0596. Petitioner hereby disclaims and dedicates to the public that terminal part of any patent issuing from application Serial No. 10/042,426 which extends beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent No. 6,346,189, and any patent granted on the aforementioned application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that said

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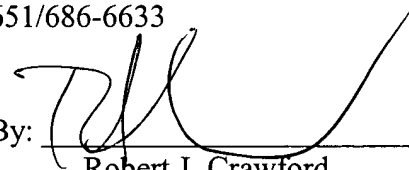
The undersigned is empowered to execute this Terminal Disclaimer on behalf of the Assignee, Stanford University. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (STFD.021C1) for the requisite fee of \$110.00 for the filing of this Terminal Disclaimer.

Respectfully submitted,

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